WebVERS Introduction

The Visitor Estimation and Reporting System (VERS) program was developed as a DOS program. Several years ago the meter reading and reporting sections were updated to a Windows program. This program was called WinVERS.

The program is now being updated to a Client/Server Web browser program. This new program updates not only the WinVERS program, but all functions of the original DOS VERS program. It does not include the Direct Data Entry System program. All projects are required to use WebVERS to estimate user visitation and report visitation to the OMBIL system.

This presentation is a guide for end users of the WebVERS program and is was used as a Web Cast for District VERS coordinators.

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Visitation Estimation and Reporting System 2.0

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Welcome to WebVERS

The **Visitation Estimation and Reporting System** , VERS, is based on accepted research guidelines and procedures adopted by the United States Army Corps of Engineers (USACE).These processes have been automated to assist USACE personnel responsible for reporting recreation use throughout the country. The type of recreational activity and the season of the year are combined with traffic-measurements that yield data that are captured and reported in a standard way throughout the country.

USACE personnel responsible for collecting and recording VERS data may request authorized access to this system by contacting:

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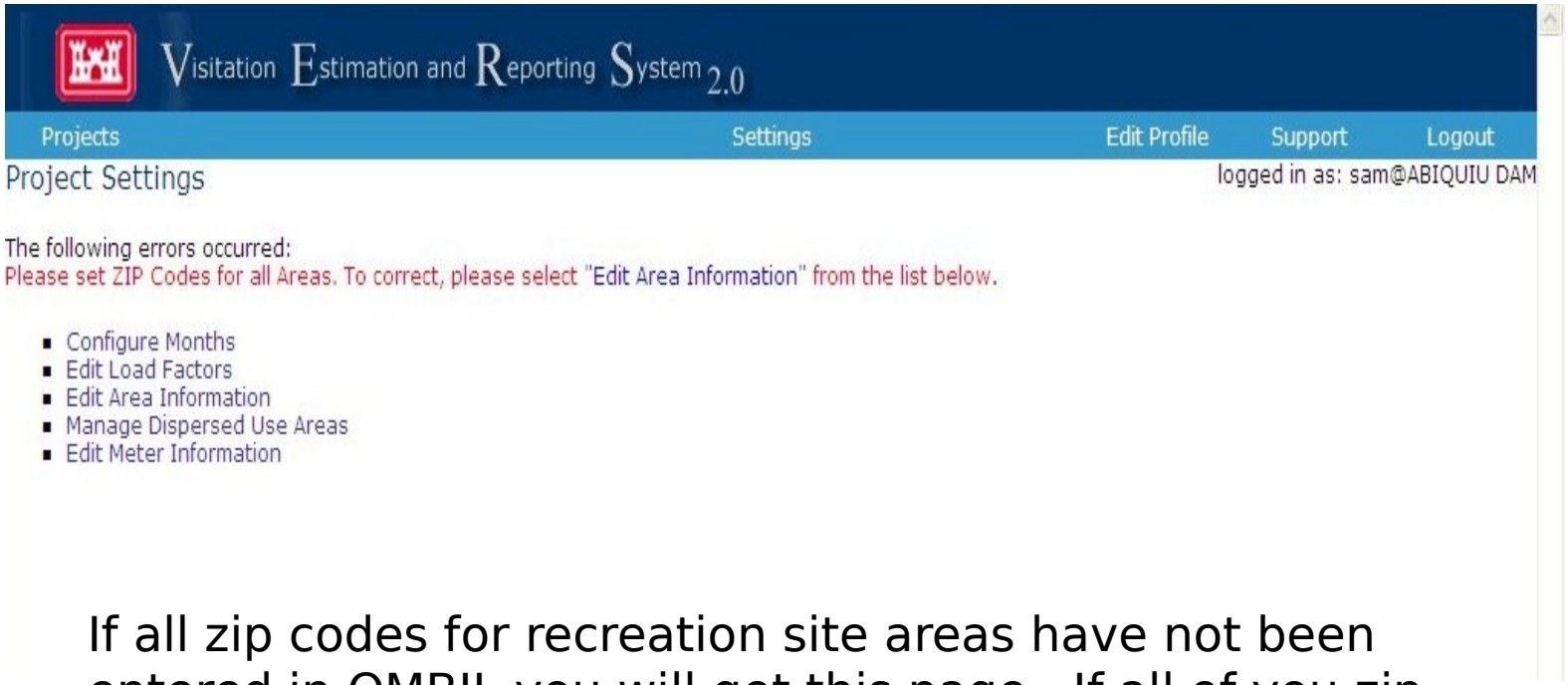
This is the opening page of the WebVERS program. You will need to click on Login and enter your login name and password.

Once you have entered your User Name and Password the projects assigned to you will appear.

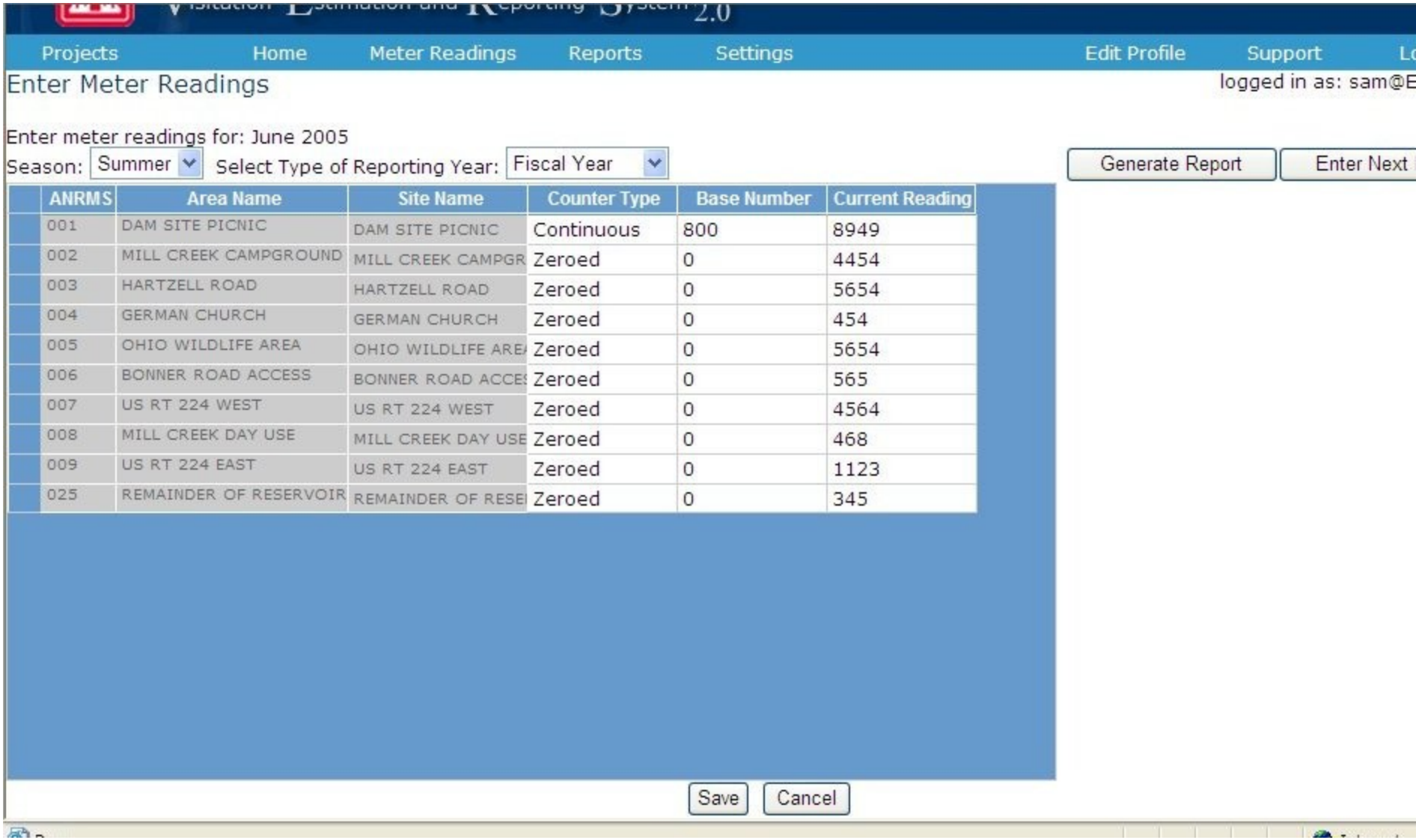
		PNRMS	Project Name	Count of Areas	District
1	Select	00001	ERDC TEST	20	WATERWAYS
2	Select	00065	J. BENNETT JOHNSTON WATERWAY	65	VICKSBURG
3	Select	00070	ABIQUIU DAM	10	ALBUQUERQUE
4	Select	00105	BAYOU BODCAU RESERVOIR	30	VICKSBURG
5	Select	00200	ALBENI FALLS DAM	45	SEATTLE
6	Select	00214	COLUMBIA LOCK OUACHITA & BLACK RIVERS,ARK, LA	50	VICKSBURG
7	Select	00220	ALLATOONA LAKE	243	MOBILE
8	Select	00225	JONESVILLE LOCK OUACHITA & BLACK RIVERS,ARK, LA	45	VICKSBURG
9	Select	00240	ALMOND LAKE	2	BALTIMORE
10	Select	00280	ALUM CREEK LAKE	12	HUNTINGTON
11	Select	00406	CAPE COD CANAL	36	NEW ENGLAND
12	Select	00600	ARKABUTLA LAKE	75	VICKSBURG
13	Select	00608	ICE HARBOR LOCK AND DAM	42	WALLA WALLA
14	Select	00741	NORRELL LOCK (POOL 1) - MCCLELLAN-KERR ARK RVR NAV SYS	25	LITTLE ROCK
15	Select	00742	LOCK #2 (POOL 2) - MCCLELLAN-KERR ARK RVR NAV SYS	65	LITTLE ROCK
16	Select	00743	JOE HARDIN LOCK (POOL 3) - MCCLELLAN-KERR ARK RVR NAV SYS	40	LITTLE ROCK
17	Select	00744	EMMETT SANDERS LOCK (POOL 4) - MCCLELLAN-KERR ARK RVR SYS	35	LITTLE ROCK

The number of projects assigned to a user can be as small as one or as many as all projects in a division or district.



If all zip codes for recreation site areas have not been entered in OMBIL you will get this page. If all of you zip codes have been entered you will go directly to the function menu for your selected project.

The main functions are entering meter readings, editing meter readings, resetting meter readings, printing reports, and editing project settings.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003 HARTZELL ROAD HARTZELL ROAD Zeroed 0 5654
004 GERMAN CHURCH GERMAN CHURCH Zeroed 0 454
005 OHIO WILDLIFE AREA OHIO WILDLIFE AREA Zeroed 0 5654
006 BONNER ROAD ACCESS BONNER ROAD ACCES Zeroed 0 565
007 US RT 224 WEST US RT 224 WEST Zeroed 0 4564
008 MILL CREEK DAY USE MILL CREEK DAY USE Zeroed 0 468
009 US RT 224 EAST US RT 224 EAST Zeroed 0 1123
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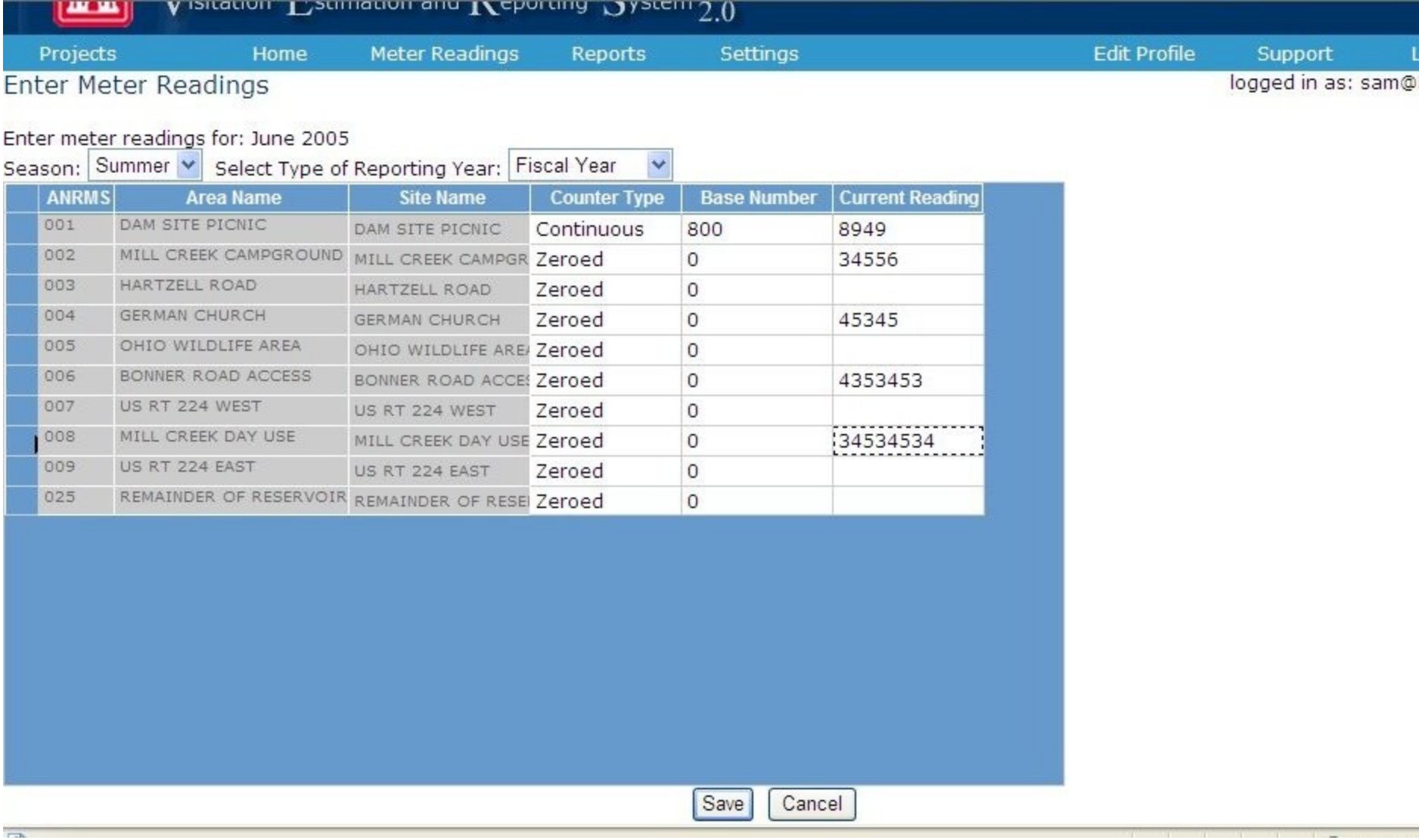
The last month that you have successfully entered data for will populate. You can edit this month, generate a report for this month or continue to the next month.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logged in as: sam@
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Season: Summer
Select Type of Reporting Year: Fiscal Year
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007 US RT 224 WEST US RT 224 WEST Zeroed 0
008 MILL CREEK DAY USE MILL CREEK DAY USE Zeroed 0 34534534
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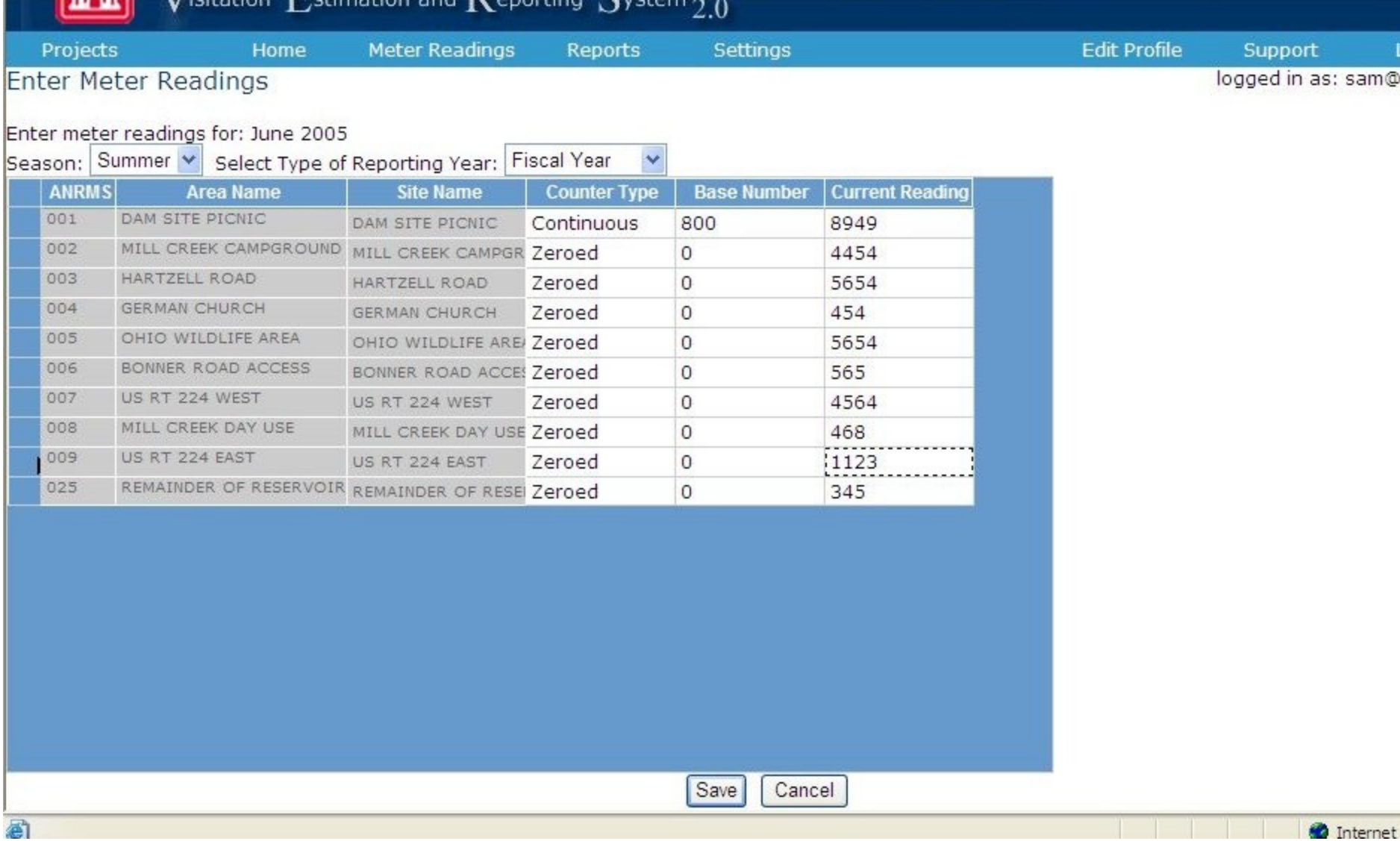
The new WebVERS program allows for you to enter incomplete meter readings and save the entries for completion at a later time. This is new for the VERS program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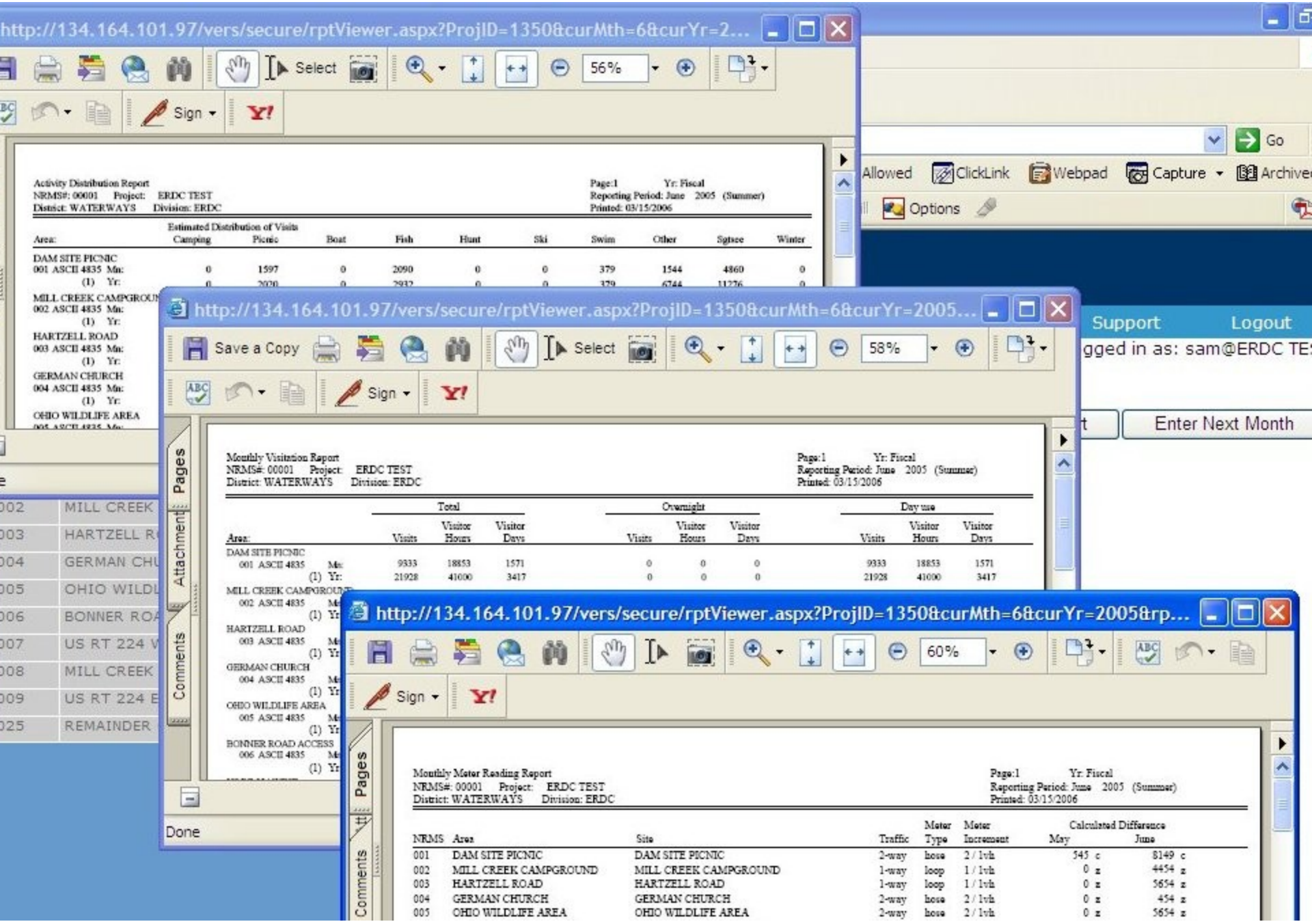
Once all the meter readings have been entered and you hit the save button the program will automatically generate three reports. The reports are the meter reading report, the visitation report, and the activities report.

These reports are provided as pop up Adobe PDF files. If you have pop up blocker set to on for your browser, you will have to change it to allow pop ups from this site.

You can also make this a Trusted Site that allows pop ups.

The Adobe PDF file can be printed, saved, or Emailed. We suggest that you create a WebVERS report folder on you computer and save each of the reports using a monthly name to that folder.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Activity Distribution Report
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District: WATERWAYS Division: ERDC
Page:1 Yr: Fiscal
Reporting Period: June 2005 (Summer)
Printed: 03/15/2006
Estimated Distribution of Visits
Area: Camping Picnic Boat Fish Hunt Ski Swim Other Sgtsee Winter
DAM SITE PICNIC
001 ASCII 4835 Mn: 0 1597 0 2090 0 0 379 1544 4860 0
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MILL CREEK CAMPGROUN
002 ASCII 4835 Mn:
(1) Yr:
HARTZELL ROAD
003 ASCII 4835 Mn:
(1) Yr:
GERMAN CHURCH
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Reporting Period: June 2005 (Summer)
Printed: 03/15/2006
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Day use
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GERMAN CHURCH
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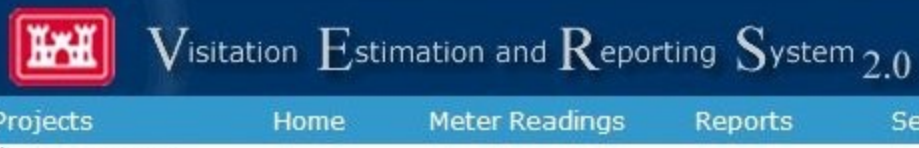
Reporting Period: June 2005 (Summer)
Printed: 03/15/2006
NRMS Area Site Traffic Meter Type Meter Increment Calculated Difference May Calculated Difference June
001 DAM SITE PICNIC DAM SITE PICNIC 2-way hose 2 / 1vh 545 c 8149 c
002 MILL CREEK CAMPGROUND MILL CREEK CAMPGROUND 1-way loop 1 / 1vh 0 z 4454 z
003 HARTZELL ROAD HARTZELL ROAD 1-way loop 1 / 1vh 0 z 5654 z
004 GERMAN CHURCH GERMAN CHURCH 2-way hose 2 / 1vh 0 z 454 z
005 OHIO WILDLIFE AREA OHIO WILDLIFE AREA 2-way hose 2 / 1vh 0 z 5654 z

Monthly Visitation Report
NRMS#: 00001 Project: ERDC TEST
District: WATERWAYS Division: ERDC

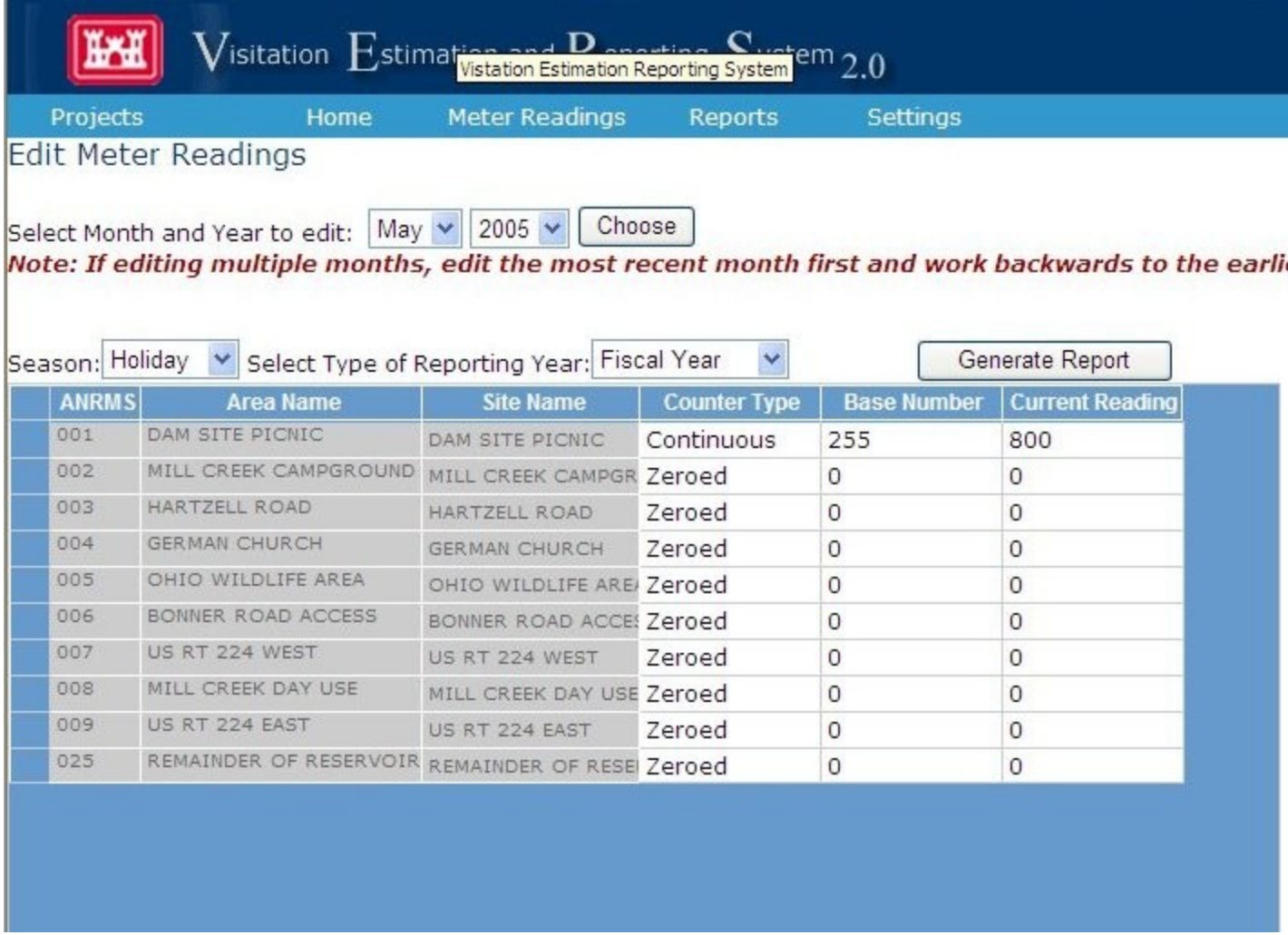
Page:1 Yr: Fiscal
Reporting Period: June 2005 (Summer)
Printed: 03/15/2006

Area:		Total			Overnight			Day use		
		Visits	Visitor Hours	Visitor Days	Visits	Visitor Hours	Visitor Days	Visits	Visitor Hours	Visitor Days
DAM SITE PICNIC										
001 ASCII 4835	Mn:	9333	18853	1571	0	0	0	9333	18853	1571
(1)	Yr:	21928	41000	3417	0	0	0	21928	41000	3417
MILL CREEK CAMPGROUND										
002 ASCII 4835	Mn:	5674	210468	17539	2484	194964	16247	3190	15504	1292
(1)	Yr:	5674	210468	17539	2484	194964	16247	3190	15504	1292
HARTZELL ROAD										
003 ASCII 4835	Mn:	10958	48436	4036	0	0	0	10958	48436	4036
(1)	Yr:	15630	61566	5131	0	0	0	15630	61566	5131
GERMAN CHURCH										
004 ASCII 4835	Mn:	245	3464	289	39	2954	246	206	509	42
(1)	Yr:	245	3464	289	39	2954	246	206	509	42
OHIO WILDLIFE AREA										
005 ASCII 4835	Mn:	5063	11493	958	0	0	0	5063	11493	958
(1)	Yr:	69623	189738	15812	0	0	0	69623	189738	15812
BONNER ROAD ACCESS										
006 ASCII 4835	Mn:	496	2020	168	0	0	0	496	2020	168
(1)	Yr:	18877	44645	3720	0	0	0	18877	44645	3720
US RT 224 WEST										
007 ASCII 4835	Mn:	3151	12541	1045	0	0	0	3151	12541	1045
(1)	Yr:	4533	17288	1441	0	0	0	4533	17288	1441
MILL CREEK DAY USE										
008 ASCII 4835	Mn:	821	2396	200	6	58	5	815	2338	195
(1)	Yr:	2071	4712	393	6	58	5	2065	4654	388
US RT 224 EAST										
009 ASCII 4835	Mn:	1023	1729	144	0	0	0	1023	1729	144
(1)	Yr:	12985	25172	2098	0	0	0	12985	25172	2098
REMAINDER OF RESERVOIR										
025 M/P/ASCII	Mn:	309	701	58	0	0	0	309	701	58
(1)	Yr:	27471	71222	5935	0	0	0	27471	71222	5935

All reports are in the identical format as WinVERS and VERS reports.



The next option under meter readings is the Edit Meter Readings option.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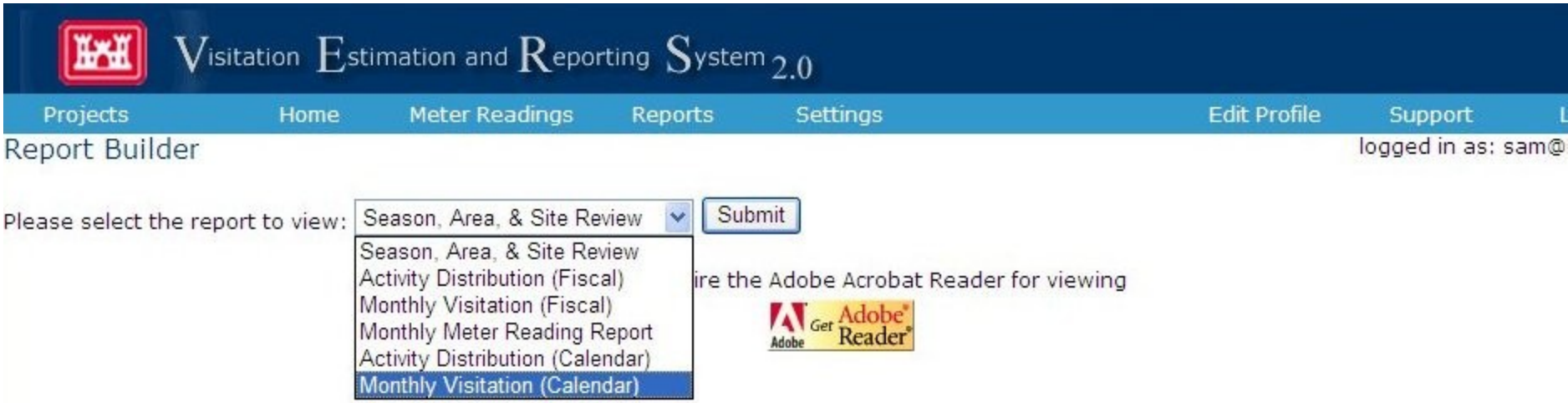
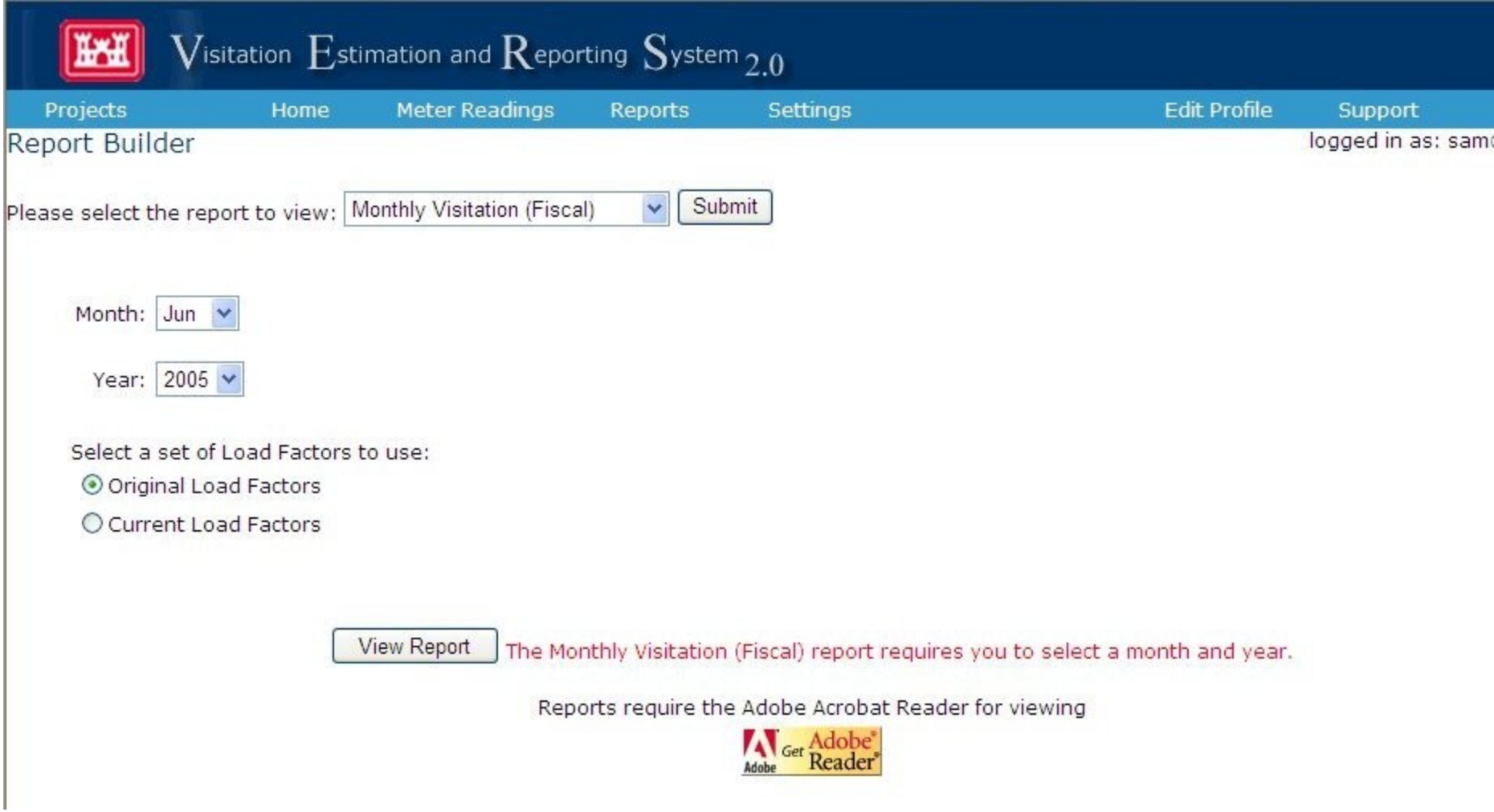
Select Month and Year to edit: May 2005 Choose
Note: If editing multiple months, edit the most recent month first and work backwards to the earliest month.
Season: Holiday Select Type of Reporting Year: Fiscal Year
Generate Report
ANRMS | Area Name | Site Name | Counter Type | Base Number | Current Reading
001 | DAM SITE PICNIC | DAM SITE PICNIC | Continuous | 255 | 800
002 | MILL CREEK CAMPGROUND | MILL CREEK CAMPGR | Zeroed | 0 | 0
003 | HARTZELL ROAD | HARTZELL ROAD | Zeroed | 0 | 0
004 | GERMAN CHURCH | GERMAN CHURCH | Zeroed | 0 | 0
005 | OHIO WILDLIFE AREA | OHIO WILDLIFE AREA | Zeroed | 0 | 0
006 | BONNER ROAD ACCESS | BONNER ROAD ACCES | Zeroed | 0 | 0
007 | US RT 224 WEST | US RT 224 WEST | Zeroed | 0 | 0
008 | MILL CREEK DAY USE | MILL CREEK DAY USE | Zeroed | 0 | 0
009 | US RT 224 EAST | US RT 224 EAST | Zeroed | 0 | 0
025 | REMAINDER OF RESERVOIR | REMAINDER OF RESE | Zeroed | 0 | 0

It is important that when editing meters for multiple months that you start at the most recent and work to the earliest month. This is because when the Edit Complete button his select reports will be generated from that month to the current month. Do not use the Edit Complete button until all edits have been made.

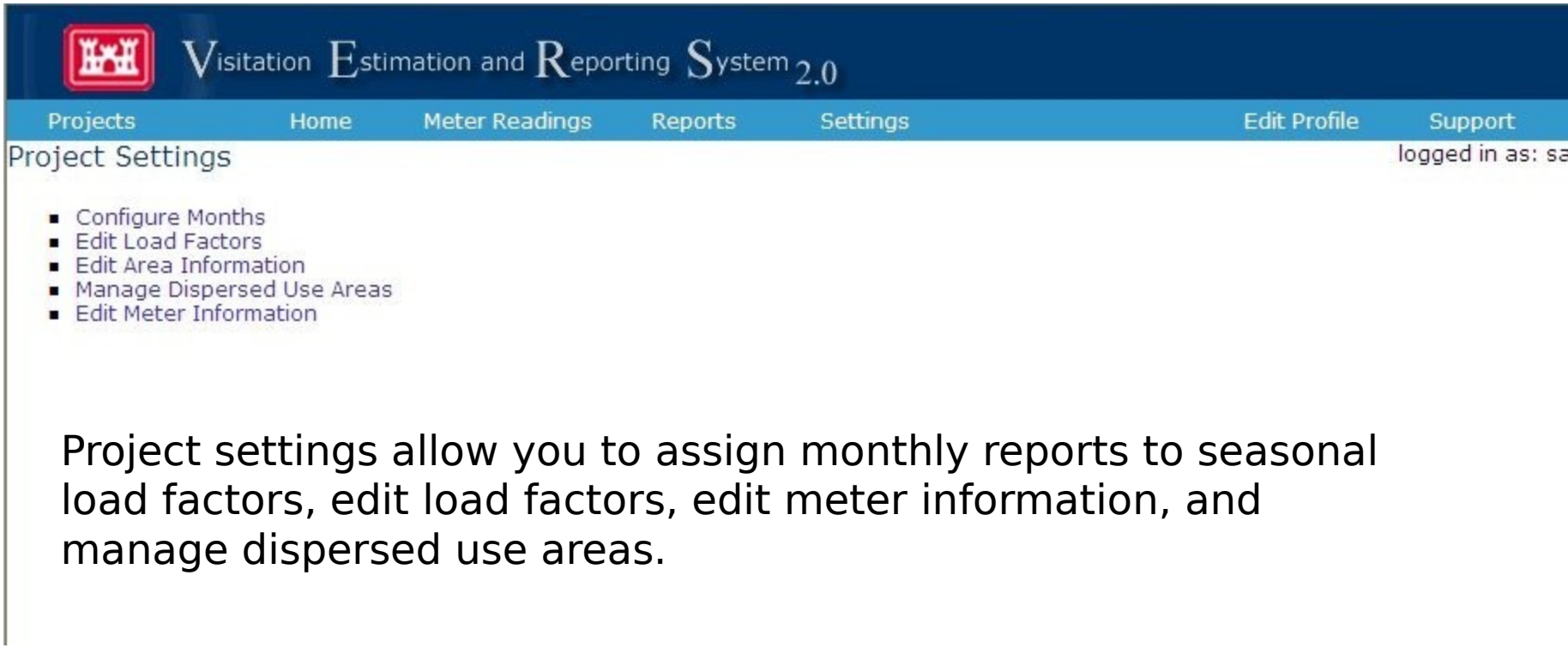
Resetting Meter Readings allows you to select a month and year and to clear all meter readings from that point forward. This action can not be reversed once it is done.



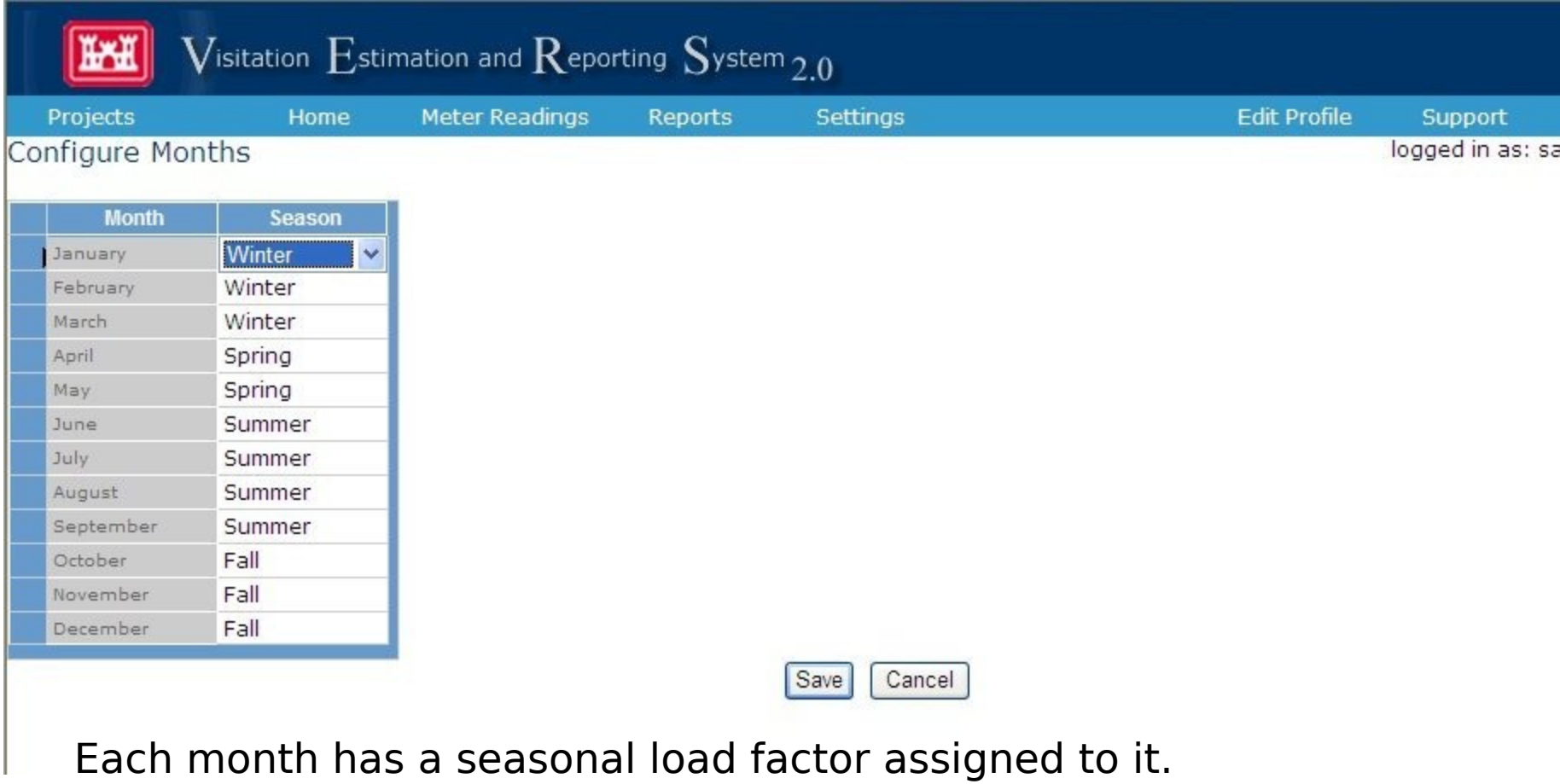
WebVERS provides the same reports as the VERS and WinVERS programs. These reports are on a monthly basis.



Once you have entered the month and year of the report you will have the option of using the original load factors for when the report was originally ran or current load factors if load factors have been upgraded.

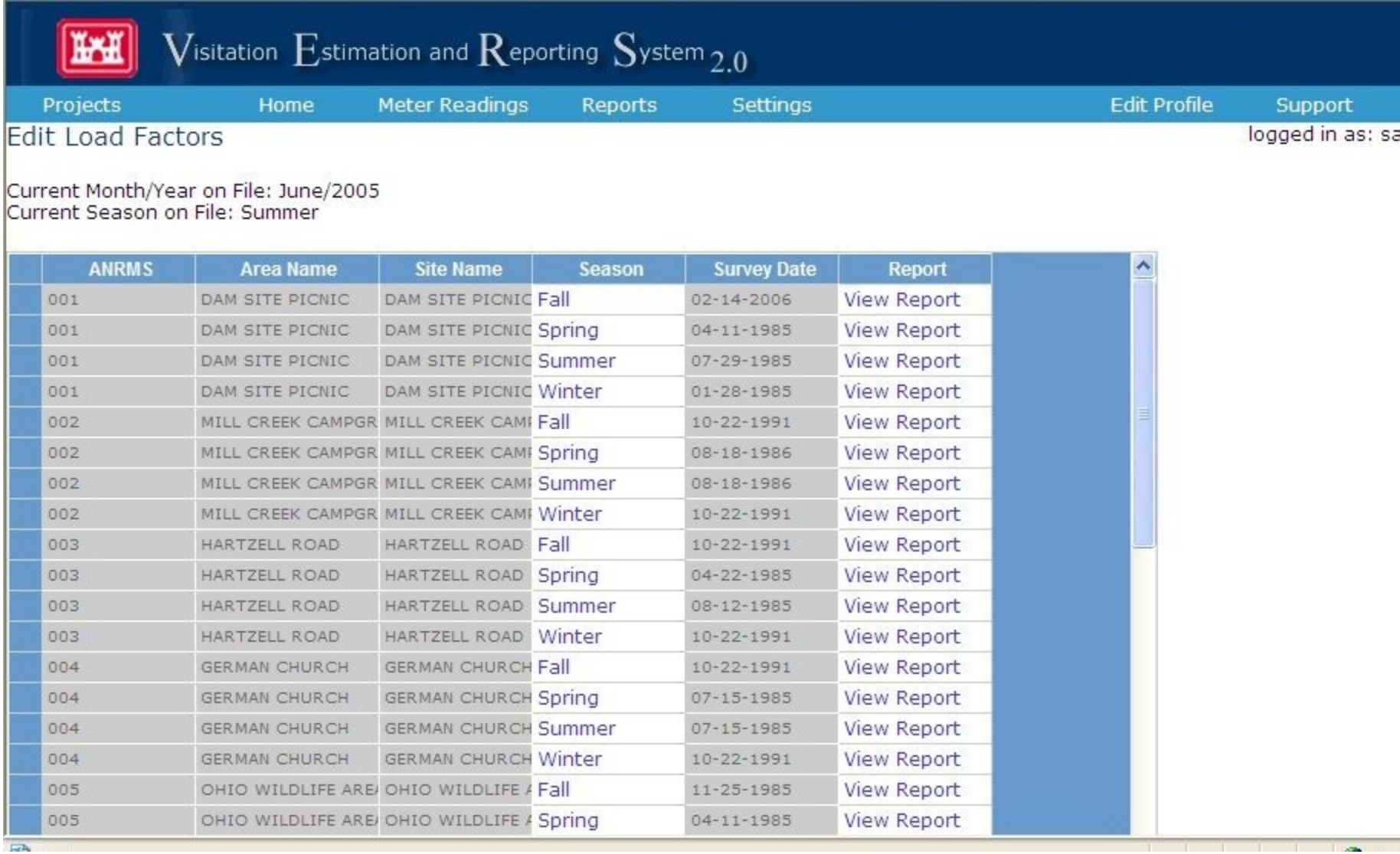


Project settings allow you to assign monthly reports to seasonal load factors, edit load factors, edit meter information, and manage dispersed use areas.



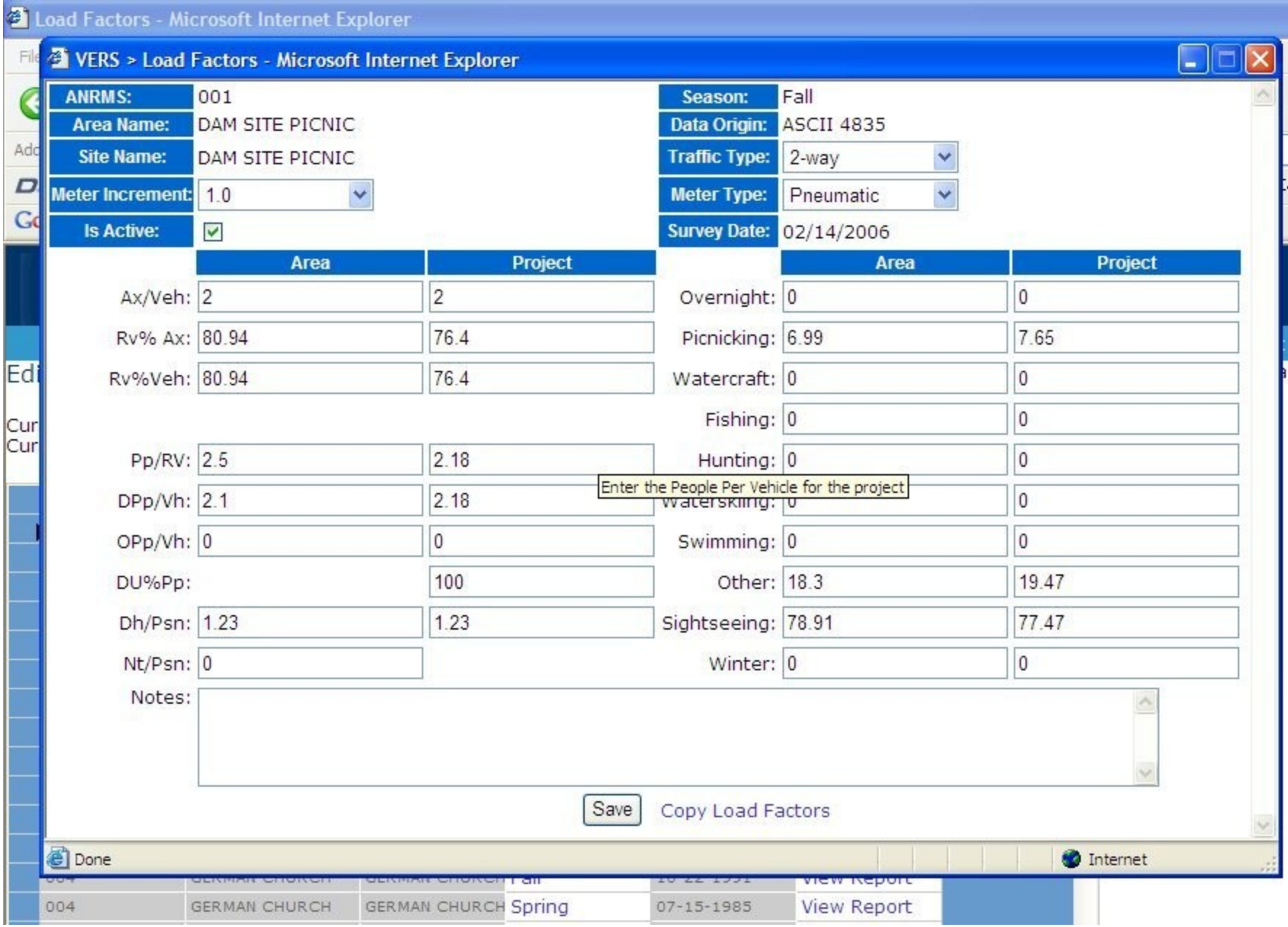
Each month has a seasonal load factor assigned to it.

Clicking on the Season enables a drop down box with all the seasons with assigned load factors at your project.

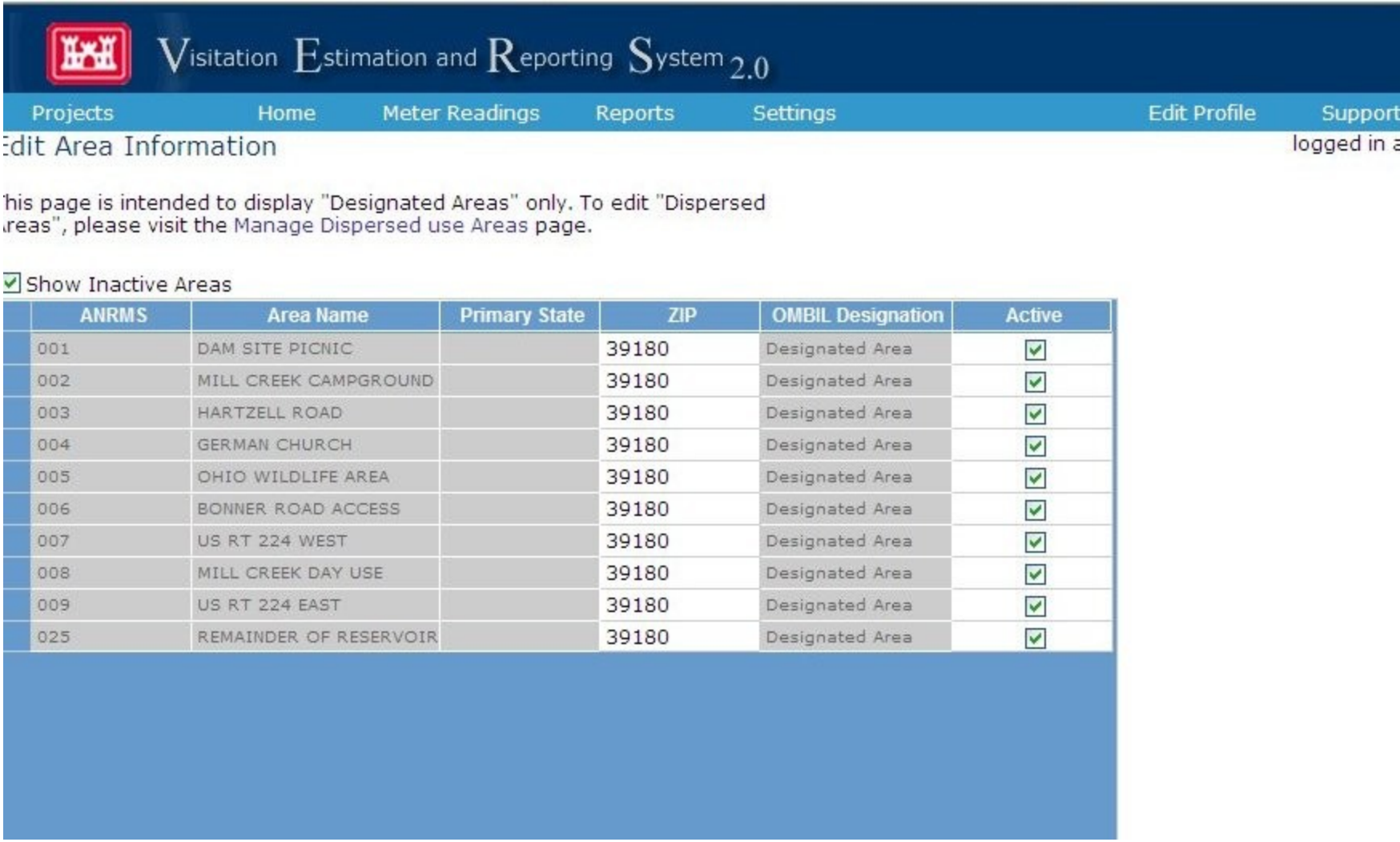


ANRMS	Area Name	Site Name	Season	Survey Date	Report
001	DAM SITE PICNIC	DAM SITE PICNIC	Fall	02-14-2006	View Report
001	DAM SITE PICNIC	DAM SITE PICNIC	Spring	04-11-1985	View Report
001	DAM SITE PICNIC	DAM SITE PICNIC	Summer	07-29-1985	View Report
001	DAM SITE PICNIC	DAM SITE PICNIC	Winter	01-28-1985	View Report
002	MILL CREEK CAMPGR	MILL CREEK CAMI	Fall	10-22-1991	View Report
002	MILL CREEK CAMPGR	MILL CREEK CAMI	Spring	08-18-1986	View Report
002	MILL CREEK CAMPGR	MILL CREEK CAMI	Summer	08-18-1986	View Report
002	MILL CREEK CAMPGR	MILL CREEK CAMI	Winter	10-22-1991	View Report
003	HARTZELL ROAD	HARTZELL ROAD	Fall	10-22-1991	View Report
003	HARTZELL ROAD	HARTZELL ROAD	Spring	04-22-1985	View Report
003	HARTZELL ROAD	HARTZELL ROAD	Summer	08-12-1985	View Report
003	HARTZELL ROAD	HARTZELL ROAD	Winter	10-22-1991	View Report
004	GERMAN CHURCH	GERMAN CHURCH	Fall	10-22-1991	View Report
004	GERMAN CHURCH	GERMAN CHURCH	Spring	07-15-1985	View Report
004	GERMAN CHURCH	GERMAN CHURCH	Summer	07-15-1985	View Report
004	GERMAN CHURCH	GERMAN CHURCH	Winter	10-22-1991	View Report
005	OHIO WILDLIFE ARE	OHIO WILDLIFE A	Fall	11-25-1985	View Report
005	OHIO WILDLIFE ARE	OHIO WILDLIFE A	Spring	04-11-1985	View Report

The Edit Load Factor function allows you to view an individual or all load factors by clicking on View Report or All Load Factor Report. You can also edit an individual load factor by clicking on the season you wish to edit.



Users need to enter an explanation for any changes to the load factors.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Show Inactive Areas
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001 DAM SITE PICNIC 39180 Designated Area
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004 GERMAN CHURCH 39180 Designated Area
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007 US RT 224 WEST 39180 Designated Area
008 MILL CREEK DAY USE 39180 Designated Area
009 US RT 224 EAST 39180 Designated Area
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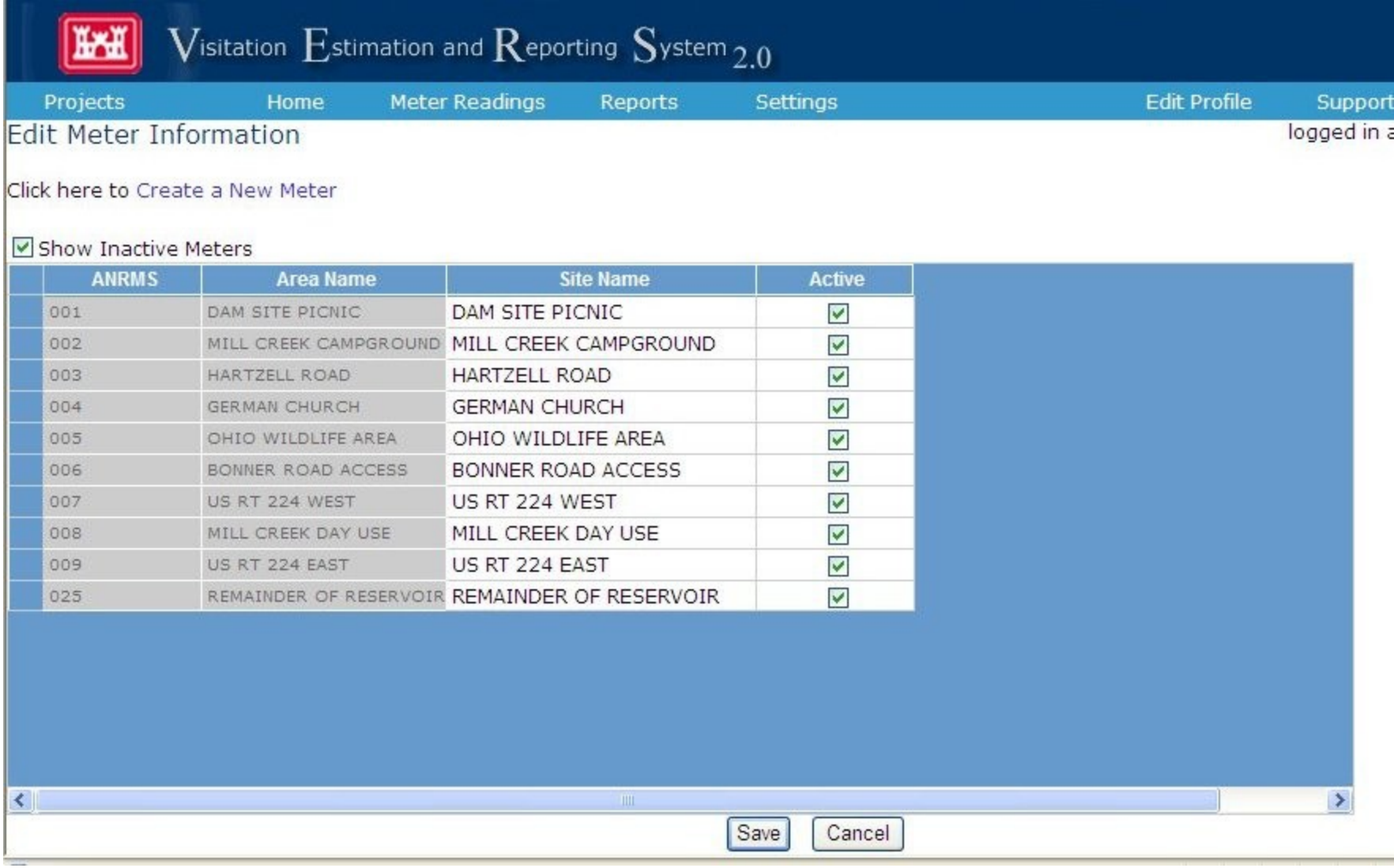
WebVERS saves all data. To remove a recreation area just mark it as inactive. The record will be retained in our database, but will not show up on your reports or meter reading pages.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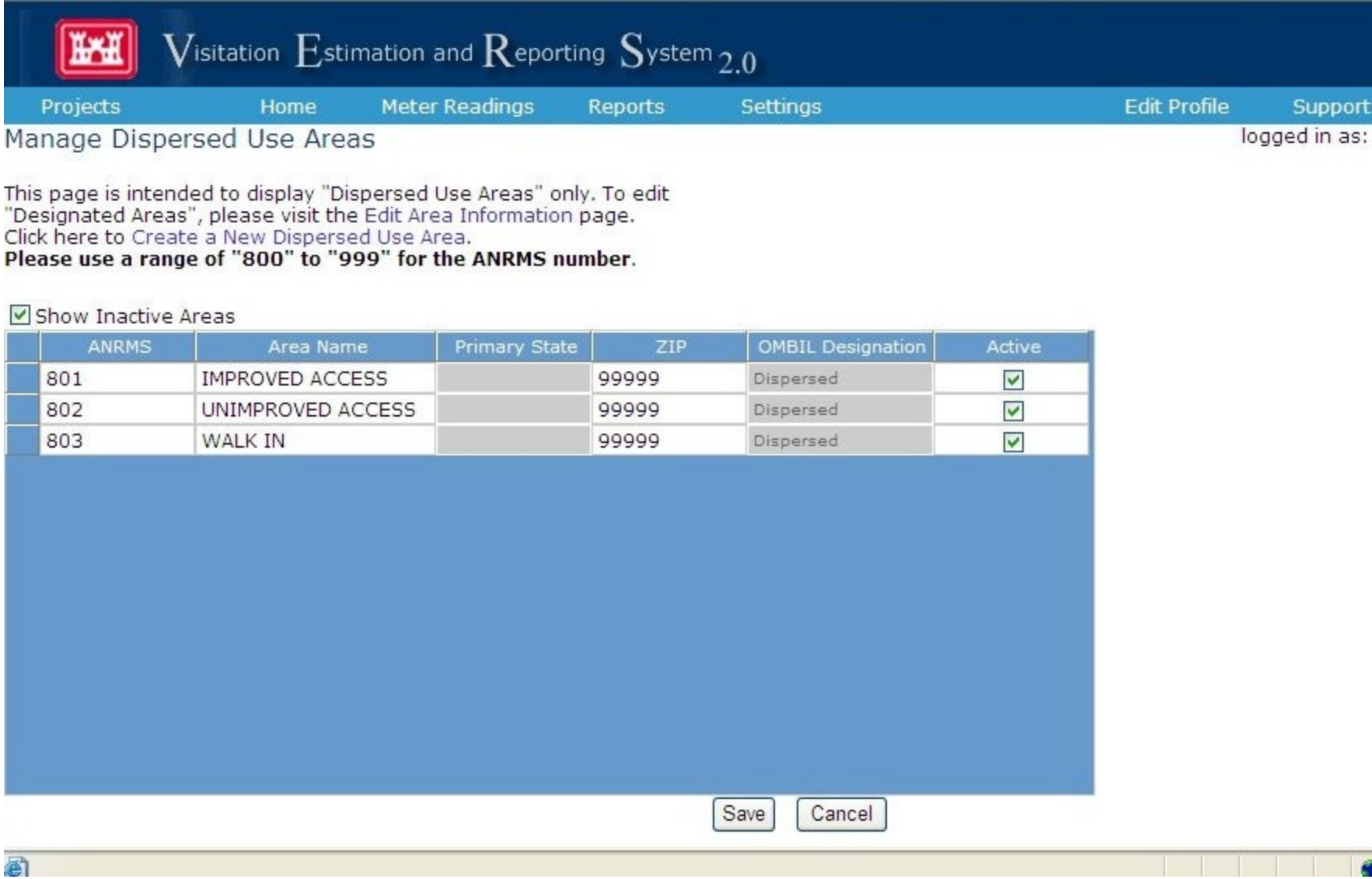
Save
Cancel

The Edit Meter function allows you to change the name of a meter or add a meter. To set load factors for a meter use the Edit Area Information function.



All dispersed areas in WebVERS need to be numbered in the 800-999 range. Dispersed area numbers, names and zip codes can be edited with this function.

WebVERS is synced with OMBIL once a week, usually on Monday.

Areas in grey are retrieved from OMBIL and can not be changed in WinVERS, but by changing these fields in OMBIL they will be modified in WinVERS on weekly data sharing.

Do not change passwords and login information until directed to do so by your District VERS coordinator.

If you have any questions contact your District VERS coordinator.

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